THE EVENING CRITIC. ESTABLISHED AUGUST, 1868.

LACONIC LOCALS.

A NICE May Day. Two straw hats seen on the street to day VONDER If any boys "played bookey's morning to go see the circus? Guess not

Morring to go see the circus' taless lot.

Work was resumed on the Washington onument to-day by beginning to lay the first surse of stone for this season's work.

The small boy was awful sick to-day, e was not largely represented at school he circus proved too much of an attraction

for him.

The Potomac Terra Cotta Company have filed their annual report in the Becorder's office, showing a capital of \$150,000, of which \$414,550 has been paid to, and the existing debts of the company amount to \$3,000.

ROBERT COOK, colored, was fined \$25 by Judge Snell to-day for keeping a disorderly house in Georgetown. The evidence was that Cook was one of the residents of No. 1058 West Market Space, Georgetown, which building is known to be a den of thieves and ranche or prostitutes.

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ANNIE REEDER, colored, has been living for some time with a man named Lewis, and when she went to his house hast night found another colored girl named Mary Lee in the house. Mary was a former companion of the man Lewis, and being jealous of Annie, runhed it her with a long butcher-knife as soon as she entered, and out her seriously on the arm. Judge shoil to-day sentenced Mary Lee to six months in jail.

IN THE Police Court to-day Wm. Martin, a yange carpenter, was charged with grand lakeny. The evidence was that Mr. Martin, together with Mr. Charles Williams and a number of other men, on Saturday evening became intoxicated. During the festivities in which the men participated Williams watch came into Martin's possession in some way which none of the parties know. The watch was afterward recovered at Martin's house and he was arrested and charged with lareny. Williams testified that he did not wish to prosecute and regarded the matter as a drunken freak. The case was continued in order to allow the defense to call their witnesses.

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MRR PERRY, of 496 I street southwest, with two children, one an infant in a carriage and the other a little girl three years old, was crossing Pennsylvania avenue at the corner of Sixth street, about 11 o'clock this morning, when the little girl was knocked down and run over by one of the reckless drivers who endanger the lives of pedestrians in this city. The child was not seriously injured, but that was entirely its good luck and not because of any care upon the part of the driver of the vehicle. A few funerals provided for reckless drivers might have a good effect. The child was properly cared for in the drug store of Stevens, under the National Hetel.

VESTERDAY the Reformed congregation of this city dedicated their new chapel at the corner of Fitteenth and O streets. In the morning the Sunday-school was addressed by Rev. Drs. Staley, Miller and Appel. The sermon at the morning service was preached by Rev. C. F. Sontag. Dr. Eschbach then made a statement of the gratifying financial condition of the mission. In the afternoon the dedicatory services proper were opened by muste by the choir. Liturgical selections appropriate to the occasion were then read by Hov. Dr. E. R. Eschbach, D. D., and the dedicatory services proper were opened by muste by Rev. Theodore Appel, superintendent of the missions, who took his text from the eighteth Psalm, eighth verse. Dr. Staley, of Knoxville, Md., preached in the evening, taking for his text Gal, fourth chapter, twenty-sixth verse: "Grevalem, which is from above, is free; which is the mother of us all." The chapel was ediffilled at each service, and the greatest interest prevailed among the congregation.

"A Child of the State."

The Hoey-Hardle Company, a very widelyfamed dramatic organization, will appear at
the National Theatre this evening, in George
Hoey's interesting and romantic drama of "A
Child of the State." Though familiar to our
theatre-goers, it will nevertheless receive a
hearty welcome. The Burnale Express of
March 22 says: "Much has been said of this
charming drama and the sterling company
that play it. The performance last night surpassed even our highest expectations. It possceses an intense interest throughout that is
very fascinating. There is a finish and power
in every scene and act that can only
spring from the hand of a master. The
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play is dignified and concise in dialogue, and
the essence of truth and humor in sentiment.
It may be pronounced, without qualification
or exaggeration, the finest drama that has been
placed upon the stage in medern times. The
cast is admirable in its entirety." Friday
evening Hoey's new drama, "A Priest's Vow,
will be presented here for the first time. The
plot is original and effective, with no relaxation in the interest from first to last, and
Mesers. Hoey & Hardie challenge public opinine, the clergy in particular, to say that this
drama is not a companion play to "Richellou"
insupport of the church.

Ford's Opera-Rouse.

Touteth Authony & Ellis famous ideal "A Child of the State."

Ford's Opera-flouse. To-night Authony & Ellis' famous ideal Uncle Tem's Cabin" combination opens at ford's Opera-House. The Stherian blood-ounds, the colored troubadours and the trick onkey are among the attractions.

National Theatre.

The famous Heey & Hardie Company, of New York, opens at the National Theatre to-night. The great play of "A Child of the State" will be presented in the earlier portion of the week and the new and spiennild drama, "A Priest's Vow," in the latter.

The World's Museum.

Do not full to yist Odd-Fellows' Hall and

Professor Carpenter. This is positively the last week of Professor Carpenter, the famous psychologist, at Willard Ital). Meamerism developed nightly. Benefit of Henry Clay and J. Louis

On Monday, May 6, Charles B. Bishop, will appear at Ford's in his new play, "Outpepper's Courship," which is said to be a remarkably interesting and beautiful work. The occasion will be the benefit of the two popular managers, Heary Clay and J. Louis Ford, These two gentlemen deserve the regard of the public for their conscientions devotion to their duties, and the Highality and enterprise with which they secure the best attractions at their theairs.

The I. O. M.

The Supreme Lodge I. O. M. will assemble in annual session in Fhiladelphia on Wednesday. The District delegation leave to-morrow by way of the Baltimore & Folomac Baltimore of Pleasure. The delegation will consist of the following-named: Supreme Ruler L. H. Fatterson, Supreme Prelate Joseph Acton, Supreme liside Sentinel J. S. Martin, Supreme Representatives James E. Dement and Hausen, H. Weaver, and Past Grand Architects Win. H. Boyd, R. O. Politinborn, Wm. Doherty, S. R. Trevner and Conductor Charles Seott, of La Payette Lodge, No. 15. Several ladies will accompany the delegation. The report of Supreme failer Fatterson shows a large increase of membership and a healthy condition of the order.

Ferry Summer Arrangement.
The Mystic having been taken off for repairs, the ferry boats City of Alexandria and City of Washington will from to-day run regularly as usual between Washington and Alexandria. The first boat down will leave at 6:20 a. m. and the last boats at both ends will leave at 6:30 p. m. Mannger Bidley now has everything in order for the convenience of passengers between Washington and Afternation, and the transfer of the sectionalities, stanch and treshly painted. The stoppages at Glesboro will be discontinued this summer, thus doing away with plunic parties to that point on the regular trips, and affording facilities to ladies and children during the "heated term" for evening sails on the river for the sake of fresh air.

Sneer's New Jersey Port Grape Wine. Ferry Summer Arrangement.

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We have examined a specimen of the port grape wine of Mr. Alfred speed, referred to by a correspondent of the American Implied, and have no doubt it is pure. We should judy from its taste and appearance, that it is certainly valuable as a medicinal wine and as a tonie for weakly persons. It has the recommendation of some of the first physicians in this country as well as Europe. Sold by druggists and grocers.

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For Mason's Pardon.

A committee of the New York Garfield Club, consisting of Mr. John J. Clancey, Mr. William, Edward Blake, and Mr. Alonzo Dow Kittle, arrived at Willard's Roll yesterchay morning, having in charge the monster petition gotten up by that club as high the Frest dent to remit the court-martial sentence of Sergeant Mason, except so much as dishonor ably discharged him from the exhibit and dishonor ably discharged him from the exhibit surface. The petition like an ordinary packing trunk which was procured for the consistent grows which was procured for the consistent of the remit and a quarter in length when unfolded.

Artists' Supplies at Eyncal's, 418 Seventh street. Nobby Spring Pants to Order, \$4.50. Hamburger's, 615 Pennsylvania avenue. A. C. SOTELDO'S TRIAL

Set Down for the First Monday in June.

The motion for a continuance in the case of A.
C. Soteldo, indicted for the murder of his brother, A. M. Soteldo, and assault with intent to kill Charagee M. Barton, was heard by Justice Wylle in the Criminal Court this morning. The grounds on which the motion is based, the absence of important witnesses, has aiready appeared in TRE CRITIC.

District-Autorney Corkhill said that there was no disposition to crowd the case, but there were reasons why there should be a speedy trial. The testimony of Mr. Clements was only hearsay, and as to the examination of the room where the shooting took place, that could be preven by others. He had made a more minute examination of the details of this case than any other since he came into office. He did not know where Mr. Farden could be found, and his testimony was no more than could be otherwise presented. There were but three persons in the room when the occurrence took place.

Colonel Christiy said it was evident that the District-Attorney had not duly considered the case. They could show that six shots were fired and two of them went into Mr. Barton, and that under the circumstances they had indicted the wrong man for the murder of Mr. Soteldo. He was perfectly willing that the trial should be set down for the first Monday in June.

The Police Court Lawyers.

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The lawyer's lot is not always a happy one. Especially is this the case with many of the able barristers who practice before the Police Court. It not unfrequently happens that a elicint will promise his attorney \$5, \$10, or perhaps \$15 to defend him, and when the case is tirled and the defendant acquitted he will probably coolly say to the attorney, "Come, old bey, and let's take a drink," and then as coolly say that he will see him later about the fee, &c. Of course there is no redress for the lawyer, and he just has to let his client go his way. Some of the Police Court lawyers, rather than permit a man to have his case heard without the aid of legal talent to defend him, will give his services for fifty cents or a dollar. Indeed, it is related of one attorney that he defended a man recently for twenty-five cents, and then took the money and set up the drinks. Of course all Police Court lawyers, however, who are slow as any other class of their profession to lower their dignity by accepting small fees.

A very funny little incident occurred in front of the Felice Court building the other day. Attorney Guy H. Thouspeon was employed by a German peddler, has had been arrosted for seeling goods without a license, to defend him, in consideration of the fee of five dollars. Guy made a splendid argument for his client, and succeeded in securing his release. The lawyer and peddler walked out of the court room together, and when the sidewalk was reached Guy asked for his money. The peddler passed for sealing goods without a license, to defend him, in consideration of the fee of five dollars. Guy made a splendid argument for his client, and succeeded in securing his release. The lawyer and peddler walked out of the court room together, and when the sidewalk was reached Guy asked for his money. The peddler promised him a fee, and the peddler just as stoutly denied it, saying liah the hadn't soid anything during the day and did not, in consequence, have a penny. One of the lawyers in

street amid the roar of laughter that emanated from the spectators present.

Metropolitan M. E. Church Sunday
Service.

The audience was larger than usual. Rev. Thomas Mitchell, of Brooklyn, N. Y., preached at 11 o'clock a. m. and Rev. R. N. Baer at night. The new organist, Mr. Sparks, was in his place and acquitted himself admirably. The time-honored scriptural method of congregational singing is likely to prevail in this church. Dr. McCabe is to have charge of the services next Sabbath at 11 a. m. and 3 and 7:45 p. m. This will be preliminary to the jubilee service, which will be arranged for at a future date and will last seven days. Hishop Simpson will preside at that service. The former pastors, with the exception of Dr. Thomas Eddy, deceased, will be present and participate in the exercises. Many prominent clergymen and laymen from all parts of the contry will be here. General Grant will be fit the "President's pow." A committee was selected at the Fourth Quarterly Conference of last year to make up the programme for this occasion, and they will doubtless have a good one. The probabilities now are that Bishop Simpson, Dr. Dehass and Dr. Newman will all preach on the Sabbath of this great occasion, but the programme when issued will furnish the facts; until then we shall simply anticipate the coming eventas the greatest in the history of Washington Methodism. The church is to be congratulated on their apparent tendency toward congregational singing. Nothing short of this can insure the future spiritual prosperity of the sectety. Early Methodism did as nuch with her singing as by her preaching. Many a heart has been moved Godward by song, that was not reached by the sermon. Singing in church should have some higher object than the mere entertainment of the people; it should be a part of divine worship and all should sing.

Reform School Improvements.

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The District Commissioners have forwarded to Speaker Keifer a confinuiteation of the secretary of the board of trustees of the Reform School, giving estimates of the cost of permanent improvements required at the school. The Commissioners recommend that the appropriations asked for should be made. The letter states that the rapid increase of the population of the school requires the organization of another division, where the younger boys should be kept to the number of about sixty. The object of this is to keep the ganization of another division, where the younger boys should be kept to the number of about sixty. The object of this is to keep the younger boys away from the bad influences of their seniors in years and in crime. The new building should be almost similar to the present one and include a schoolroom, dormitories, clothesroom, washroom and playrooms, as well as rooms for the officers in charge. The building should be a plain, briek structure, with stone foundation, filled with steam-heating apparatus. The estimated cest would be \$13,500. There should also be a farm barn, with accommodation for twelve horses and twenty cows. The cost of a suitable barn will be \$7,500. The removal of the present harn and erection of various sheds, see, would cost \$900. The orection of a heepital and storeroom at a cost of \$1,500 is recommended, and a similar expenditure for general repairs to buildings. The total cost of the improvements requested is \$24,900.

Another Wedding at the City Hall.

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John W. Johnson, of Anne Arundel County,
Md., and Georgians Birney, of Prince George's
County, Md., both colored, arrived at the
Clerk's office about noon to-day. The appearance of the couple showed that they were in
quest of a marriage license and a minister.
The groom was attired in a dark sult, somewhat worn, contrastingly set off with a buttonhole bouquet, while the smiling bride was attired in a full suit of white, trimmed with pink
ribbon and bows. A white bonnet, studded
with white roses, rested on the cbony brow.
After the license was obtained, they were
eccorted to the Marshal's private office, and
there Rev. Henry Bailor tied the matrimontal
attens of these present, and soon departed,
hoppy as two clams at high water.

Changes in the Police Force.

Changes in the Police Force. The following changes have been made in the police force, to take effect this morning: acting Sergeant Medienry, Pitth Precinct to the seventh Frecinct Acting Sergeant Boyle, from the Seventh to the Fifth; Sergeant Boyle, from the Seventh to the Fifth; Sergeant Perry, of the Fourth, to the Second; Sergeant Slatvry, of the Second, to the Fourth; Sergeant Buck, of the Fourth; to the Third; Sergeant Buck, of the Fourth; to the Third; Sergeant Been, of the First, to the Fourth; Private Reckwell, Frivate Mediabon, Fifth to the Seventh; Private Rockwell, Sixth in the Fifth; Private Rockwell, Sixth in

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Lighted Sweetness.

Feter Nelson and Martha Hennessy, both of Monigomery County, Md.

H. W. Burnside and Louise A. Fischer.
William P. Mills and Ross A. Keith.
Daviel A. Eye and Mary A. Queen, both of Tennallytown, D. C.
John Hawkins and Lizzle Rows.
Fritz Niemann and Barbara Philipp.
William J. Dugan, of Alexandria, Va., and Virginia C. Gibson, of the city.
John F. Southard, of Rockingham County, Va., and Mary E. Greires, of Anne Arundel County, Md.
Sampel L. Franker and Amelia A. Whiting.
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A Triumph of Washington Skill.

A patient of Dr. Stearns, in Iowa Circle, was operated upon last Tuesday by Dr. W. M. Cate, a homopathic surpeon of this city, for the complete extirpation of a camer with amountation of the breas, and removal of the adjacent axillary glands. The operation was ominently successful, and the patient is now out of danger and progressing finely. Dr. Cate was assisted by Drs. Stearns, Corey, Lee and Swormstedt.

815 Stylish-Cut Suits. George Spransy, 507 Seventh street.

What is Going On in the Social World.

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On Saturday alternoon the pleasant,purfors of Colonel and Mrs. Winthrop were filled from 4 to 7 with a brilliant company. The hostoss was levely in a pale lavender gown, with cultrase of cloth of silver, brocuded with flowers outlined in lavender silver blue satin, with basque and train of garnet velvet, embroid-cred in popples, roses, pansies and grasses. The rocus were lighted with gas, wax candidates, and a profusion of exquisite flowers, white rocus were lighted with gas, wax candidates, and a profusion of exquisite flowers, white rocus carnations, and white and purple illacs being the most noticeable. The table was filled with delicacies, interspecsed with wax lights and flowers, Two large nests of pius sugare containing pistachs, choosiste, strawberry and vanilla cream oggs occupted the Reid and foot, while Babas and Charlottes alternated in great profusion with "brioks" of all colore. Among those present were General and Mrs. Van Vilet, Mrs. Forris, Mrs. Ricketts, Captain Growninshield, Mrs. and Miss Bidde, Mrs. and Miss Engles in their mother Mrs. Wight—one of the leveliest and most venerable ladies transmable—Captain and Mrs. Story, she charming in black catin and velvet, with a cap of marguerites, whose golden hearts and fair leaves match her hair and face so perfectly; Mrs. John Jay Ruox, Miss Patterson, very handsome in black satin, Spanish lace and jet, with a bouquet de cornege of magnificent Boston buds; Mrs. Merrick, Mrs. General Barnes, Mrs. Robinson, Mr. Appleby, Miss Morse, Miss Redfern, Miss Potters, whose diamonds were exquisite; their guest Miss Hollingsworth, Mr. and Mrs. Saville, Mr. Smith and Mr. Bessel, of the Smithsonian; Mrs. Montgomery, Professor and Mrs. Saville, Mr. Smith and Mr. Bessel, of the Smithsonian; Mrs. Montgomery, Professor and Mrs. Saville, Mrs. Montgomery, Professor and Mrs. Saville, Mrs. Hughade, Mrs. Woodhull, her handsome daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Pollock, Madame and Miss de Chambrun and many others.

As one of the pleasantest pie

ment to Saturday's list by a dinner to the President.

Mr. and Mrs. Pollock have invited a number of triends for this evening to inaugurate their new baliroom. The entertainment will be a sert of annex warming, and being where it is will, of course, be a brilliant party.

The many friends of Miss Annie Story are pleased to learn of her success at Colorado Springs. Janauschek was to play Marie Shurt, when her Elizabeth was taken so ill as to be unable to appear. The part was assigned "our Annie" on a four-hours' notice, and she won a very enviable triumph. She and the great tragedienne have been elegantly entertained there and at Denver, and Janauschek's praise and satisfaction are sources of much gratification to the young actress and her friends.

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The Literary Society met Saturday evening at the residence of Justice and Mrs. Field, and one of the most delightful meetings of the season was enjoyed by the members and guests. The cessays were particularly pleasing, and Mrs. Cauldwell's recliations created much enthusiasm. She gave a scene from "The Merchant of Venice," and as an encore "My Old Crat," not a sentimental name, but a poem full of sentiment notwithstanding, Among the guests were the society, Mr. Bancroft, Mr. John Sherwood, Mr. and Mrs. Bailou, of New York; Dr. and Mrs. Davis, of Cincinnait; Mrs. Amia Catherine Green, Judge Maury, Mrs. Barbour and Miss Dangerfield, Senator and Mrs. Jones, Mrs. Gratton, Mr. and Mrs. Merrick, Mrs. kactorery and many others. The music was rendered by Mrs. McCreery and Mrs. Kasper, whose charming votices interpreted much that was beautiful, concluding with Crouch's "Kathicen Mayourneen," the cchoos of which will linger in every heart. A collation, where every regal rule of the society was broken in a very tumpting manner, was served about 11 cchock, and the basual invasion of Sunday morning followed before the addition, where made. The most elegant tollead addition, where made. The most elegant tollead and the secrety of the proton of the groon-elect will not be difficult, when I add that he was recently ordered away from here.

The Great Street Parade To-day.

Barnum's great show in all its gorgousness paraded this morning, and such a magnificent dispiny was never before witnessed in this or any other city. The streets were literally alive with people. The small boy, with his book or books carefully concealed in his tronsers leg, was there; so was the dignified sepator and Representative; so was the Cabinet officer; so was the preacher and priest, and, to tell the truth, so was everybody, it really looked as if the entire city on mass had turned out to greet the greatest show on earth. The most attractive features of the parade were the open cages containing the lions, hyenas, teopards, wolves and snakes. In each of these cages there was a man, who appeared to have perfect control over the victous looking animals. The small boy havered around these cages, and took a deep interest in the movements of the animals. Following came open cages with polar bears and sea flons, a rhinceroe, a hippepotamus and other attractions. Altogether, the display was one of the best ever seen in Washington and merits the commendation that has been accorded in other cities.

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Church Orphauage of St. John's Parish.

The Church Orphanage of St. John's Parish to-day filed a certificate of incorporation with the Recorder, having for its object the establishment and maintenance of one or more lishment and maintenance of one or more houses for indigent orphans, for rearing and educating them; also, the establishment of one or more dispensaries for the treatment of the sick. The trustees for the first year are: light Rev. Bishop Pinkney (ex-officio president), Rev. W. A. Leonard (ex-officio warden), Hon. Montgomery Blair, General W. H. Emory, F. W. Hackett (secretary), Thomas Hydetreasurer), General Chauncy McKesver, U. S. A.; Dr. F. M. Gunnell, U. S. N.; General G. D. Ruggles, U. S. A.; Alexander Bliss, A. Roes Ray, Dr. C. H. Crane, U. S. A., and Mr. G. V. Fox.

If You Appreciate comfort, buy an English serge suit. We have them in green, blue and black. Eiseman Bros., corner Seventh and E.

The Union Depot Site.

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To the Editor of The Evening Orditic.

There is, perhaps, no locality in Washington better adapted naturally and artificially for the location of the proposed Union depot than hat contiguous to the Baltimore & Potomac Railroad tunnel, which is in Southeast Washington, This site ombraces many good leatures not to be found in others now underconsideration, among which are the facts that it is the terminus of the Washington & Georgetown street-cars and lierdies; the Annosata line, which connects with two other lines, passes directly by it, and the Motropolitan line by extending its road a few squares could terminate at this point. In addition to street-car facilities the site is almost contiguous to a good river front. Virginia connections could be made by way of Water street, while steamboat lines, by building a public wharf near the site, could make easy connections with trains from all points. It is understood a prominent stockholder in one of the reads is devoting some time to his site with a view to recommending its adoption. The reasons why this site should be adopted are many and obvious.

83.50.

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We offer this week fifty suits for children, theys 4 to 10 years of age). The Norfolk lacket suit at \$3.50, a nice, stylish all-worl suit. A. sake & Co., 316 and 318 Seventh street.

General Conference Colored M. E. Church. The General Conference of the colored Methodist Episcopal Church will begin in this city on Wednesday morning next at 9 o'clock. The sessions will be held at the Israel M. E. Church, corner First and Batreets southweat. There will be in all about ninety delegates, including the Bisheps of Georgia, Tennessee, Kentucky and North Carolina.

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Accidently Poisoned.

Willie T. M. Wheeler, an infant only one year old, has recently been under the care of a physician, being treated for pacuments at the house of his parents, No. 418 Six-and-a-half street, southwest. Br. Crock, who was in aircudances, left medicine at the house for the child, and on featurday its nurse gave it a dose of medicine, which has been swallowed before it was discovered that she had made a mistake and given the baby landanum instead of the remedy intended. The deservered that in spite of all efforts made to relieve the infant, and the little one was buried to-day at the Congressional Cemetery.

Reopening.

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Byneal's Art Emporium, 418 Seventh street.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union held a very enthusiastic meeting at Masonic Temple yesterday, Mrs. C. L. Roach conducted the services. Addresses were made by Mrs. Higgins, of Bilisboro', Ohio, and Mr. Taylor, also of Ohio.

EAST WASHINGTON.

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A most successful revival is now in progress at the Fourth-street M. E. Church, under the auspices of Messra, Bentley and Johes. Since the commoncement of Ineso meetings the membership of the church has been largely increased. The building has been nigntly erowded to its utmost capacity. Messra, Bentley and dones, being young people. Least night a powerful and effective settmon was delivered by the pastor, Rev. Joseph France, who took as his text. "Everlating Life." After the sermine a revival service was held.

A discribely and demeralising ranche, which had been a sore spot on the extreme eastern section for a long time, was radded by the police a few days ago. When the case was called in the Folice Court, Judge Snell, without allowing the officers to testify fully as to the fifthy transactions which were nightly and open occurrences in the house, rendered a decision, giving the party who keeps the ranche two days to move away from the locality. The result was the party moved from a medium neighborhood into a good one, carrying crime into a locality where it was unknown before, such law as this is not theroughly understood in East Washington, consequently it is not fully appreciated.

The Eighth Precinct has lost one of its best and mest efficient officers in Mr. J. T. Thompson, the Eighth Precinct has lost one of its best and mest efficient officers in Mr. J. T. Thompson, who was transferred to the Fifth precinct this morning. Since Officer Thompson's transfer to this section he has made hosts of warm friends, and the regret is general at his removal from this precinct. The transfer is undoubtedly due to his efficiency as an officer, as his new beat will be in one of the most desperate neighborhoods in Washington.

The church of the Reformation, Rev. W. E. Parsen, closed its thirty year yesterday under the precinct are in provided for, still romains on the church are in good condition. More than \$11,000 were alsoursed during the past twelve months, \$6,000 of which was contributed by a membe

ALEXANDRIA AFFAIRS.

Business at the station-house last night and Sunday was exceedingly brisk. John Swallow and John Fenn, two white men, descerated the Sabbath by indulging in a fight at Fishtown. Officers Davis and Hays arrested them, and they were turned loose on ball to answer the Mayor's questions at 11 o'clock to-day. Nat Clark, colored, arrested for being drunk and dispoterly during Sunday afternoon, was also turned out on ball. Besides these were George Brooks, for being drunk a colored boy named Philip, arrested by Officer Frank for peregrinating in suspicious proximity to Mr. Bell's yard on Wolf street, and Miko Wahlen were in the station-house this morning to await the arrival of Mayor Beckham. During the day a white man named Alexander got a warrant for the arrest of Ana Thomson, residing on the corner of Washington and Jefferson streets. He charged the woman with riotous and unneighberly conduct.

Union street will be paved from end to end. The funeral of Mrs. Tyler took place at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon from Grace P. E. Church and was attended by a latyo number of friends and relatives. The deceased was buried in Union Cemetery.

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The steamer City of Alexandria made its first trip after being refitted at 6:30 yester-day afterneen from Washington. The boat presents a handsome appearance, and the popular and accommodating Captain En-twistle will command her. The churches in Alexandria were well filled yesterday, many of the visitors from Washing-ion taking part in the services.

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As announced before in The Chitic, "Fen Nights in a Barroom" will not be acted at Armory Hall on Wednesday night, the hall being desired by the Light Infantry on that night, but the public can expect to see it presented on the 22d instant by the Alexandria Dramatic Club.

The large three-masted schooner Laura Messers, Captain Gregory, is a new arrival at the wharves. She came from Nova Scotia, loaded with plaster. The vessel was consigned to Wm A. Smoot, eag.

The Washington Lodge of Masons of this city have been presented with a magnificent engraving of General W. F. Thornton, who was formerly a resident of Alexandria, but many years ago moved to the West, where he died. The picture was presented by a son of the General, who now resides at Shelbyville, ill. The steamer Mystic was beday taken to the shipyard for repairs.

There was estimated to be 100,000 herring and about 1,000 shad at Fishtown this morning. Herring were selling for \$5 to \$5.50 per 1,000, as slight decline from last weeks prices.

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The pleasant spring weather of Sunday outsed a large number of visitors to come from Washington and spend the day in our city. It is expected that when Mr. Mills, the popu-lar hotel man, opens the Tontine House, on Cameron street, the number of Washington-ians visiting Alexandria on Sunday will be much increased.

Sunday morning George Simms, colored,

much increased.

Sunday morning George Simms, colored, while attending divine service, fell suddenly dead in the First Colored Baptist Church, Deceased was a very prominent man among his race. He was at one time a member of the City Council, and always bore a reputation in Alexandria for honesty and straightforwardness.

ness.
At the last meeting of the School Board, in
the Peabody building, it was determined to
call upon the city for \$10,400 instead of \$7,290,
as hereicfore, for school purposes, the additional \$3,200 to be used to providing increased accommodations and facilities in the
schools.

THE COURTS.

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Equity Court—Justice Hagner.—Runsictier vs. Atkinson et al., pre confesse against defendants ordered. Redileid vs. Redileid; sale ordered, and H. W. Garnett appointed trustee to sell. Thomas vs. Carroll; exceptions to auditor's report observated. Simpson vs. Harman: L. F. Lovy admitted as party defendant. Stanton vs. Heming: auditor's report mailited on assigned's account.

COURT IN GENERAL TERM —Chief Justice Cartier and Sustices Cox and Junes.—Philips vs. Smoot & Shephard; judgment reversed and cause remanded for further pleadings in the court below. Opinion by Justice James, Lettwich, patent appeal; decision of Commissioner of Fatents affirmed. Opinion by Chief Justice Cartier. Nelson vs. Heary et al., ordered on calendar, Tolman vs. McGill; on hearing.

Stylish Spring Suits to Order, 618. Hamburger's, 615 Pennsylvania avenue.

"The Safe Side of Life."

Colonel George W. Bain's lecture at the Congregational Church to meerow evening promises to be one of great delight and profit. This lecture is given under the anapters of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union of the District. Most of the sents in the body of the church are already taken, but good seats in the gallery may yet be reserved at Ellis' music store at twenty-five cents.

Reopening.
Byneal's Art Emporium, 418 Seventh street. A POLICEMAN'S REPORT. 218 13th st. n. c., Jan. 0, 1882.

218 13th st. h. e., Jan. 9, 1882, tientlemen:

My occupation is night policeman of the Eighth Freeinet, thiscity. For a long time I was a
great sufferer from general debility and night sweats. Tworeputable physicians failed to
give me reitet, so upon the advice and recommendation of a
clerk in Hemeli's drug store from Bitters. When I had taken
half a bottle I found that it was
clerk in ground the second bettle was taken I was completely cured, and have been
well ever since. I have given
the Iron Bitters to my children
with such good effects that I
most chestfully recommend
them.

WEST WASHINGTON.

nets could have all been removed.

At a meeting of the Young People's Union of
the Methodist Protestant Church of West
Washington, held on Friday evening last, ho following officers were elected: President,
Rev. T. R. Coulbourne: vice-president, Miss
Lou Cox; secretary, Bruce Southerland; treasurer, W. Claude Barrett; Hibrarian, Miss
Molile Wheatley; organist, Miss Hettle
Cathell.

eight new members were admitted to the order.

Mr. John H. Smoot, Jr., and family, who have been spending the winter in Aiken, S. C., returned home last week.

The beautiful weather yesterday drew out arry large attendance at the meeting of the Women's Evangelical Union Temperance Association held at Dashaway Hall. Meahames Chambers, Underwood and Harward made excellent addresses, and several signers to the pledge came forward.

About 200 persons attended the baptizing in Rock Greek yesterday afternoon, near Pierce's mill, and quite a number were baptized.

About 7:30 Saturday evening George W. Pascoe, a baker, went to the eating-house of George W. Caton, No. 1073 Thirty-second street, for the purpose of collecting a bill, and an altereation ensuing, Pascoe knocked Caton down and beat him severely, breaking one of his riks and otherwise seriously injuring him. Pascoe was arrested and carried to the Police Court this morning, but Caton's injuries were too severe to permit his being present, and the case was continued.

About 6:30 last night a horse driven to a burgy it which was Mr. Wash Nalior and a present, and the case was continued.

About 6:30 last night a horse driven to a buggy in which was Mr. Wash Natior and a friend, became frightened near the Collegpond, on the M street read, and run away at full speed, coming in contact with a buggy driven by Mr. Dugan, by which one of the wheels of Mr. Dugan's buggy was wrenched off, both front wheels of Mr. Natior's buggy completely demolished, Mr. Natior's buggy completely demolished, Mr. Natior and friend thrown to the ground and badly bruitsel, although not seriously injured, and the fine horse of Mr. Natior badly injured, if not entirely ruined.

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Boat Boyer, with 3,350 bushels of wheat, to J. G. and J. M. Waters, and ten others, with coal, limestone, ties, &c., arrived by canal since last report on Saturday.

No transactions on 'Change to-day, High tide at 6:40 this p. m. and 7:05 a. m. to-merrow, 2d inst.

FINANCIAL.

To-day's Stock Quotations. The following observations of the transactions in the financial market to-day, together with opening and closing quotations, are furnished by the banking-house of H. D. Cooke, ir. & Co., 1429 F street, Washington, D. C.:

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